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SIR:

Enclosed herewith is a copy of a reference relating to the subject application.

Form PTO-1449 listing the reference is also enclosed.

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Applicant respectfully request that the four (4) document listed on the attached PTO Form 1449 be made of record in the application. A copy of these documents are enclosed.

Applicant does not believe that any fees are due for the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement since a first Office Action has not been issued. However, if any additional fees are due, please charge such sums to our Deposit Account 50-1145, Order No. 3094-30.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Gerald Levy", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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